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## NEXT TIME AT WICHITA

## The Trans-Mississippi Congress Finishes Its Labors.

## CRAIG WANTED TO RESIGN

The Convention Would Not Permit Him to Do So—San Pedro Harbor Resolution Adopted by Unanimous Vote—Foreclosure of Railroad Liens.

Salt Lake, July 17.—The ninth session of the Trans-Mississippi congress adjourned this afternoon, and the next session will be convened at Wichita, Kansas, at a date to be designated by the executive committee.

This has been a very busy day in the congress and a great deal of routine work was done. The principal features of the session this morning were the resignation of the newly elected president, Hugh Craig, and the consideration of the resolution calling upon the secretary of war to take immediate steps toward the construction of the San Pedro harbor. The resignation of Mr. Craig was read by the secretary.

President Craig said the committee on permanent organization had recommended him as president of the congress with a full knowledge of his views on the financial question. Later the congress had put itself on record as demanding the immediate restoration of the free and unlimited coinage of silver at the present ratio of 16 to 1. With his sentiments and opinions on the monetary question he would be untrue to himself and wanting in respect for the great business interests of San Francisco, which had been standing for 50 years as a monument to sound finance, if he remained longer as presiding officer. He therefore asked the congress to name his successor. William J. Bryan made a short speech, in which he stated that the financial views of Mr. Craig would not be inconsistent with his duties as presiding officer.

The question was put to a vote and the congress unanimously refused to accept Craig's resignation. The regular business was then taken up.

The committee on resolutions reported favorably the San Pedro harbor resolution, and it was discussed at considerable length. About the only opposition came from Judge Kinney of San Diego, who said there was no harbor at San Pedro to improve. Several California delegates spoke in favor of the resolution. Chas. of Missouri and Thomas of Colorado also spoke in its favor. The resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote.

At the afternoon session the vice presidents from the various states were named. William Thompson was the selection from Montana.

Resolutions were adopted favoring the free home improvement of the Pacific coast harbors and deep water harbor at Galveston and indorsing the pure food bill. Keller of Nebraska introduced a resolution relating to Pacific roads. The following substitute was introduced by Mr. Bryan:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this congress that the Pacific lines should be foreclosed as they become due and that the government should adopt such measures as will secure to the patrons of the Pacific railway the use of said roads upon the payment of rates which yield a reasonable return upon the present value of the roads, measured by the cost of reproduction. Bryan made a vigorous speech in favor of the resolution and it was adopted.

The question of the next place for holding the convention then came up. Only three cities were named: Los Angeles, Wichita and Omaha. Mr. Gibbons of California made a strong argument for Los Angeles and at the close of his speech it looked as if that city would be chosen. Suddenly, however, E. R. Moss spoke for Wichita and Judge Gregory for Omaha. During the call of states on the question there was considerable confusion and discussion among the delegates. Some heavy delegations like Montana threw their entire vote for Wichita and that city was successful. The vote was: Los Angeles 89, Wichita 141, Omaha 40. J. R. McKnight was chosen secretary and after a vote of thanks to the citizens of Salt Lake and to the officials of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints for the use of the building and grounds, the congress at 5 p. m. adjourned.

**Marching Strikers.**  
St. Louis, July 17.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Glen Carbon, Ill., says the miners have quit and have joined the marching strikers from Staunton and Mount Olive, who arrived here yesterday and the combined forces are now making a march to Collinsville and other places in the Belleville district.

**In Illinois.**  
Moweaqua, Ill., July 17.—This city was visited by an immense throng of miners from the Pana district last night who persuaded all the men in the shaft here to cease work. As a result when the whistle sounded to-day not a man responded.

**A Critical Day.**  
Wheeling, W. Va., July 17.—To-day is regarded as the critical one in the Kanawha valley. Reports this morning are that the Fairmont improving will be large. The Monong, Watson and West Fairmount mines, the largest in the region, are at work, but delegations from points along the Baltimore & Ohio are arriving at Fairmont. In Kanawha the operators have practically given up the fight and are waiting for the men to settle their trouble and return. There is no change in the Norfolk & Western and the movement of coal west through Ohio has caused no outbreak.

**They Will Sign.**  
Cleveland, July 17.—While local operators having mines in the Pittsburgh district have agreed to, or will agree to sign the uniformity scale, they have little or no faith that the efforts of the arbitrators will prove successful.

**More Men Out.**  
Elkhorn, W. Va., July 17.—By to-night every miner in this field will be on strike. The number will reach 5,000. The agitators leave this evening for the Flat Top field.

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